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FM AMEMBASSY BANJUL

TO AMEMBASSY ROME

INFO AMEMBASSY DAKAR

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AMEMBASSY BAMAKO

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AFDROUGHT

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SUBJECT: EMERGENCY GRAIN - GAMBIA

REF: ROME 5789

ROME FOR FODAG

1. EMBASSY SUPPORTS WFP EFFORTS ADVANCE 1500 TO 2000 TONS SORGHUM TO GAMBIA FROM DAKAR STOCKS. GAMBIA'S GREATEST NEED IS IN SEPTEMBER AND EARLY OCTOBER. PRESUMABLY GRAIN FROM US EMERGENCY ALLOCATION UNLIKELY ARRIVE THAT SOON, NSO DAKAR BEST SOURCE.

2. WFP OFFICER BANJUL HAS CHECKED WITH WFP DAKAR AND FINDS THERE ARE SUFFICIENT STOCKS IN DAKAR FOR SUCH ADVANCE, HOWEVER, THESE STOCKS ARE INTENDED FOR MALI AND WFP FEELS GOTG SHOULD TAKE INITIATIVE FOR REQUESTING GOM AGREEMENT. IT HAS SO INFORMED GOTG.

3. IF U.S. CONCURRENCY ALSO REQUIRED, BELIEVE WE SHOULD BE IN A POSITION ACT PROMPTLY ONCE GOM AGREEMENT OBTAINED.

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4. WHETHER GRAIN BORROWED FROM DAKAR STOCKS IS REPLACED FROM WFP/SWISS PURCHASES OR US EMERGENCY ALLOCATION WOULD APPEAR

DEPEND ON WHICH COULD BEST FITTED INTO SHIPPING SCHEDULE FOR MALI
SOURCE OF REPLACEMENT WOULD MAKE LITTLE DIFFERENCE TO GOTG.
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